

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

(Honeywell Docket No. H0004249) (MBHB Case No. 02-737-A)

In re A	Applicat	ion of:	)	
		Robert S. Wentink	)	Group Art Unit: 2817
Serial	No.:	10/624,117	)	Examiner: To be Assigned
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For:		d and Apparatus for Common-Mode Shifting	)	

#### TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

In regard to the above-identified patent application:

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  - 2. Form PTO-1449
  - 3. Cited reference
- 2. With respect to additional fees:
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### INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure provided by 35 C.F.R. § 1.56 and §§ 1.97-98, the applicant wishes to make the following references and information of record in the above-identified application. The references are also listed in the PTO-1449 form enclosed herewith. It is requested that the references and information be given careful consideration and that they be cited of record in the prosecution history of the present application so that they will appear on the face of the patent issuing from the present application.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d) copies of the U.S. patent references are not enclosed. In the judgment of the undersigned, portions of the references may be material to the examination of the pending claims. No representation is intended as to the relative

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#### **CITED REFERENCES**

### U.S. Patents

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### **Other Documents**

PCT International Search Report for Honeywell International, Inc., PCT/US 03/23390, dated July 15, 2004.

## CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e)(1)

The undersigned hereby certifies that each item of information contained in this information disclosure statement was first cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this information disclosure statement.

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#### **U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

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